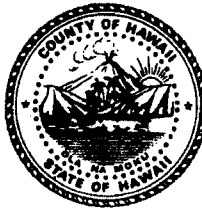


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WHEREAS, Act 111 of the 2014 Hawai'i State Legislature, provides for the establishment of County organizations for emergency management and disaster relief with the Mayor having direct responsibility and authority over emergency management within the County.

WHEREAS, Act 111 of the 2014 Hawai'i State Legislature and Chapter 7, Articles 1 and 2 of the Hawai'i County Code, establishes a Civil Defense Agency within the County of Hawai'i and prescribes its powers, duties, and responsibilities, and Section 13-23 of the Hawai'i County Charter empowers the Mayor of the County to declare emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the National Weather Service on October 15, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. issued a TROPICAL STORM WATCH for Hawai'i Island advising that Tropical Storm Ana being located at 14.1 North Latitude/ 148.4 West Longitude or 590 miles east of Hilo, Hawai'i and is a severe Tropical Storm with maximum sustained winds of 65 mph and may become a Hurricane by October 16, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the National Weather Service on October 16, 2014 at 5:00 a.m. issued a TROPICAL STORM WATCH advising that Tropical Storm Ana being located at 14.1 North Latitude/150.3 West Longitude or 500 miles east of Hilo, Hawai'i and is anticipated to increase to Hurricane strength on October 17, 2014.

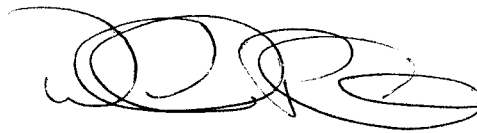
WHEREAS, a Watch mean that possible tropical storm conditions can occur any time within the next 48 hours; and

WHEREAS, conditions associated with hurricanes and tropical storms include but are not limited to storm surge, high surf, wind flash flooding and heavy rain may occur; and;

WHEREAS, due to the possibility of imminent disaster due to property damage and/or bodily injury to residents of Hawai'i Island, and the need for government agencies and representatives from the private sector to mobilize and provide immediate services to our island residents, a state of emergency is authorized pursuant to Act 111 of the 2014 Hawaii State Legislature, and Chapter 7, Hawai'i County Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM P. KENOI, Mayor of the County of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim and declare that a state of emergency exists due threat of imminent disaster on the Hawai'i Island, effective October 15, 2014, and continuing thereon for 60 days or until further act by this office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Hawai'i to be affixed. Done this 15th day of October in Hilo, Hawai'i.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'W. P. Kenoi', with a stylized flourish at the end.

WILLIAM P. KENOI
Mayor
County of Hawai'i